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Update on Fatality Traffic Collision

GLENDALE, Ariz. -- On Friday July 30, 2010, at 11:51 PM, two vehicles collided in the intersection of 51st Avenue and Peoria Avenue. The preliminary investigation revealed that a 2000 Ford Focus was traveling westbound on Peoria Ave at a high rate of speed and entered the intersection on a red traffic signal. A Silver 1997 Honda Civic with four occupants was southbound on N 51st Ave and collided with the Ford.

Three of the occupants of the Honda were ejected from the vehicle during the collision. One of the occupants of the Honda, 2 year old Andrea Puga, suffered fatal injuries. Carolina Yanes-Del Castillo, 22 yr old mother of the child, Jermaine Puga, 21 yr old father of the child and Emmanuel Puga, 22 yr old uncle all suffered injuries and were transported to a local hospital where they were treated and later released.

The driver of the Ford Focus, who initially fled from the scene, was later identified as Dallas Nobles Jr, 28yrs old. Noble Jr. was located on 8/3/2010 at a residence in Phoenix by Glendale Police Department Investigators. Noble Jr. was booked for Felony Hit and Run Involving Injury and Death.

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